

# Again

From the Motion Picture *Poetic Justice*  
Recorded by Janet Jackson

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Slowly  $\text{♩} = 78$

**System 1:** Chords:  $\text{F}^5_3$ ,  $\text{C}^4_2$ ,  $\text{Dm7}$ ,  $\text{Bb}^4_2$ . Dynamics: *mf*. Pedal: *with pedal*. Fingerings: 1, 3, 2, 4.

**System 2:** Chords:  $\text{F}^5_3$ ,  $\text{C}^5_3$ ,  $\text{Dm7}$ ,  $\text{Bb}$ ,  $\text{F}$ ,  $\text{C9}^{5/2}_1$ . Fingerings: 1, 3, 2, 4, 1, 3.

**System 3:** Chords:  $\text{F}$ ,  $\text{C/E}$ ,  $\text{Dm7}$ . Lyrics: I heard from a friend to - day — and she said you were — in town. Fingerings: 2, 1, 3, 5, 4, 5, 4, 3.

**System 4:** Chords:  $\text{Bb}^2_1$ ,  $\text{F}^3_1$ ,  $\text{C}^2_1$ ,  $\text{Dm7}$ ,  $\text{Bb}$ . Lyrics: Sud - den - ly the mem - o - ries came back to me in my. Fingerings: 4, 1, 3, 2, 4.

mind. — How can I be strong? I've asked my - self. —

Chords: F, C9, F, A7

Fingering: 4/2, 3, 5/3, 5/3

Time and time — I've said that I'll nev - er fall in —

Chords: Dm9, G7, Gm7, F/A

Fingering: 5/3, 1, 3, 2/1

love with you — a - gain. — A wound - ed

Chords: Bb, Gm7/C, Bb, F/A, Gm, F

Fingering: 2/1, 2, 1, 2, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5

heart you gave, — my soul you took — a - way. —

Chords: C/E, Eb, Bb/C, C/D

Fingering: 5, 4, 2/1, 2, 1, 3, 5

Good in - ten - tions, you had man - y, I know you did,

I come from a place that hurts and God know's how I've cried.

And I nev - er want to re -

turn, nev - er fall a - gain.

C/E 2 1 Dm7 5 4 2 1 Bb 3 1 F 2 1 C 4

Mak - ing love to

4 1 3

2 1 Dm7 Bb F C9 3 5 3 F

you — felt so good and oh, so — right. How can I be strong? I've

A7 1. 5 3 Dm9 1 3 2 1 G7 Gm7 F/A

asked my - self. — Time and time — I've said that I'll nev - er fall in —

2 1 Bb 2 1 Gm7/C Bb F/A Gm F 1 3 5 4

love with you — a - gain. — So here we are a -

1 2 1 3 2 4 3 5

2.  
Dm7

1 3

me then leave a -

4 2 G7

1 2

gain. 'Cause I'm

Gm7 F/A

4 2 Bb 2 1 Gm7/C

fall - ing in — love with —

1 2

you a - gain. —

Bb F/A Gm F

1 2 3 4 5

4 2 F

C/E

Dm7

Bb

Hold me, — hold me, —

1 2 4

5 3 F

5 3 C

5

Dm7

Bb

F

4

don't ev - er let me go.

1 3 1 2

C/E F 2 C/E Dm7

Say it just one time,

Bb F C Dm7 Bb F

say you love me. God knows I do love

5 1 C/E F Fsus4 Gm7/F C9/F F

you a gain.

*Verse 2:*

So here we are alone again, didn't think it'd come to this.  
 And to know it all began with just a little kiss.  
 I've come too close for happiness to have it swept away.  
 Don't think I can take the pain no, never fall again.  
 Kind of late in the game and my heart is in your hands.  
 Don't you stand there and then tell me you love me then leave again.